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## CONVENTION CALENDAR

### ALGONA, IOWA:

The Kossuth Coin Club will hold its Second Annual Coin Show Sunday, June 25th, at the City Hall basement.

### I.N.A. CONVENTION IN DES MOINES:

1967 I.N.A. Convention will be Sept. 23 and 24 at the Hotel Savery, Des Moines, Iowa. Convention officials: Mr. Al Eidt, Official host to represent the I.N.A. and the Des Moines Club; Mr. Vince Davis, Show Chairman and Exhibit Chairman; Mr. Robert Good, Security Chairman; Mr. Howard Kipper, Registration Chairman; Mrs. Zelma Cobb, Secretary (handling correspondence only); Mr. Delmer J. Comer, Publicity Chairman; Ben Marlenee, Bourse Chairman.

### OTTUMWA, IOWA:

Ottumwa Coin Club Fall Show, Sept. 30th & Oct. 1st, at the National Guard Armory, North on Highway 63. Bill Ott and Glenn Baird, Co-Chairmen. Fred and Corky Nydle, Exhibit Co-Chairmen.

### MOLINE, ILLINOIS:

Tri-City Coin Club's Annual Fall Show, Oct. 21st & 22nd, Holiday Inn, Moline, Illinois.

### GRINNELL, IOWA:

Fall Coin Club Show, Sunday, October 29th, Bourse Dealers, and Exhibits. Free admission and Door Prizes. For information contact Grinnell Coin Club, Box 393, Grinnell, Iowa. Location: Veterans Memorial Building.

## SPECIAL MEETING OF THE IOWA NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION

Saturday, May 13, 1967 at Des Moines, Iowa

A general membership meeting for the purpose of amendments to the Iowa Numismatic Association Constitution and By-Laws was called to order by the President, Kenneth Benedict on Saturday, May 13, 1967 at the YMCA in Des Moines, Iowa at 2 p.m. The following amendments were read and discussed.

### AMENDMENTS OF INCORPORATION OF THE IOWA NUMISMATIC ASSN.

#### ARTICLE III Membership

Section 3 — Any person between the ages of 13 and 18 years and sponsored by a Senior Iowa Numismatic Association member may be considered for Junior membership.

#### ARTICLE VI Officer Limitation

Any member who may not be in good standing shall be ineligible for any office. (All other wording under this article shall be deleted.)

#### ARTICLE VIII Board of Directors

The Board of Directors shall consist of the four elective officers, the immediate predecessor of the President, and eleven others. Officers and Directors shall serve for two years, or until their successors are elected and qualify. (All other wording under this article shall be deleted.)

## AMENDMENTS TO THE BY-LAWS OF THE IOWA NUMISMATIC ASSN.

### ARTICLE II Membership

Section 2-A — Any person between the ages of 13 and 18 years of age and sponsored by a Senior Iowa Numismatic Association member may be considered for Junior membership. Junior members may NOT hold office or vote.

### ARTICLE III Meetings

Section 1-A — As amended November 7, 1948, be further amended by: The regular meetings of the Iowa Numismatic Association shall be held in September or October of each year, on such days and at such places as may be selected by the Board of Directors.

### ARTICLE IV Officers, Directors and Committees

Section 1-A — The elective officers shall be President, a First Vice-President, Second Vice-President and a Secretary-Treasurer. The above named officers shall serve for a two year term, or until their successors are elected and qualify. No elective officer shall succeed himself to the same office, except that this limitation shall not apply to the Secretary-Treasurer. A Majority vote shall be sufficient to elect.

Section 1-B — Amend to read . . . "and to serve for two years."

Section 2 — Directors. The Board of Directors shall consist of sixteen members, including the President, the First and Second Vice-Presidents, the Secretary-Treasurer, the immediate predecessor of the President, and eleven Directors. The Directors and Officers shall be elected by official mail ballot as follows: Eleven Directors and four Officers shall be elected from the list of nominees from the seven Iowa Congressional Districts, as now constituted, and four at large. No district may elect less than one, if nominated, or more than three. The nominees will be divided by districts, according to residency, and those receiving the highest number of votes will be elected. The President shall call for nominations four months before the date of the annual meeting. Any member in good standing may be nominated by a fellow member, and such nominations should be sent to the Second Vice-President. Nominations will be open for a period of forty-five to sixty days, as set by the President. When nominations close, the complete list of nominees will be given to the Secretary, who shall have printed serial-numbered ballots prepared and mail same to the membership thirty days before the annual meeting. Only these official ballots will be accepted in voting. All ballots received must be kept by the election committee for a period of sixty days following the annual meeting.

Section 4 — Take out sentence referring to numismatic dealings.

### ARTICLE V Duties of Officers and Directors

Section 4-A — Require that the report of the Secretary-Treasurer cover the twelve months ending August 31st of each year.

(These amendments must be approved by a two-thirds majority vote and then deferred for final action at the next regular meeting, when a majority vote will be sufficient to adopt.)



## NEWS FROM ABOUT THE STATE

### ROCK ISLAND, ILLINOIS:

The Tri-City Coin club have tentatively set their fall show date on Oct. 21st & 22nd at the Holiday Inn in Moline as listed in our convention calendar. Some of the committee members are Robert Shaeffer, Don Kelsey and Al Schmidt. Additional information will be printed in our calendar when received. The club will feature, Rev. R. J. Lassuy of Rock Island as a speaker at this month's meeting. Father Lassuy of Rock Island is an authority on Papal Coins and his collection is second only to Cardinal Spellman of New York. Refreshments and a short auction will also be held.

### ALGONA, IOWA:

I have been receiving a monthly bulletin from the Kossuth Coin Club via James Blain of Wesley, Iowa. They hold their meeting the 2nd Thursday of the month in the City Hall basement. They usually have an auction of about 50 lots. One of their members Louie Henrikson won a ten dollar gold coin at the April 23rd Ft. Dodge Show. They are holding their 2nd Annual Coin Show on June 25th at their meeting location. There will be a 50 lot auction along with 9 Bourse Dealers.

### MARION, IOWA:

News from the Marion Collector's Club via Truman Ramsell. They had their quarterly auction at the April meeting. Forty members and guests attended. Door Prizes were given away. The May meeting will be called Exhibit Nite. All members are asked to set up displays. A Dutch auction will also be held. A speaker is planned for the June meeting. The club meets in the Public Library on the 1st Tues. of the month at 7:30 P.M.

### KEOKUK, IOWA:

From all indications this club's annual spring show was a huge success. Helen Wallace the club President sent me a Newspaper tear sheet about the show. Their April meeting was to feature a Second Hobby or any other item or items that their members also collect. They are already busy making plans for their all hobby Fall Hobby Show on Nov. 18th & 19th.

### FT. MADISON, IOWA:

This club's meeting was to feature "Blind Swap Nite". All members were asked to place a numismatic item of \$1.00 value in an envelope or container and place in a grab box. The giver's initial on each package so you don't draw your own package. Any number of packages could be given and withdrawn accordingly. They also had audience participation nite and any or all members could give a talk on what they saw or read.

### ASSOCIATION DUES:

Another reminder to those members who may not have paid their dues. As I mentioned in our last bulletin we do not want to lose any member because of failure to pay dues. Check on your standing now if in doubt.

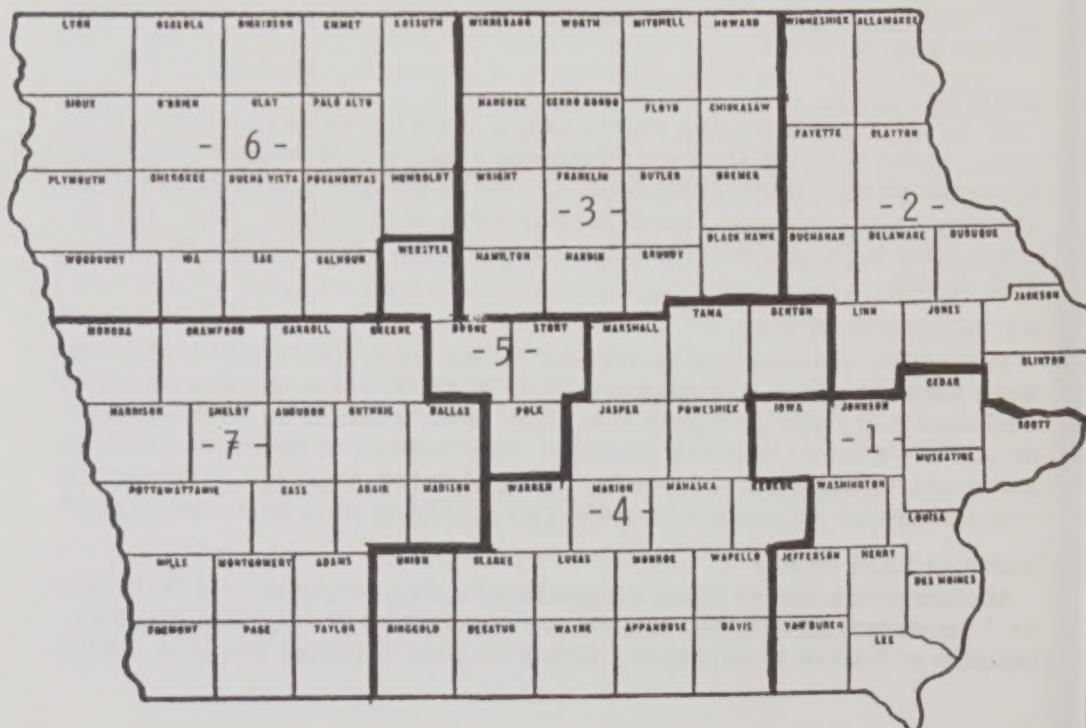
## I.N.A. MEDALS:

Another item that I will constantly keep reminding about. The sales of our Bronze and Silver medals. We need about 25 good salesman to sell ten medals each or 250 loyal members to buy them. If you do not have one yet send a check either to June Budd or one of our area Directors.

## EDITOR'S DESK:

Touching briefly on different items. I have listed a couple of reminders already, both of them very important. Had the privilege of attending Central State show at Peoria. Our association was well represented in attendance. Phil Budd and Vince Davis represented us very well by winning in the exhibit element and congrat's from all fo us to them. The big scoop as far as I am concerned from my own point of view was I had the privilege of meeting Felix Sclah, sculpter designer of the Jefferson Nickel who was the banquet speaker. He has given me tentative assurance he will be the speaker at our banquet in Des Moines this year. Here is one reason why everyone should attend. His tald is worth your trip to attend. Moving along. I want to thank those members who attended our May 13th membership meeting at Des Moines for the purpose and enlargement of our board along with the Junior membership change are the most significant since our association was founded and I am hoping that every member will agree with me. Just one more item before signing off.

THERE WILL NOT BE A JUNE OR JULY BULLETIN.



Proposed districts for future elections.



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